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Office North side of Main Street.

Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

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E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

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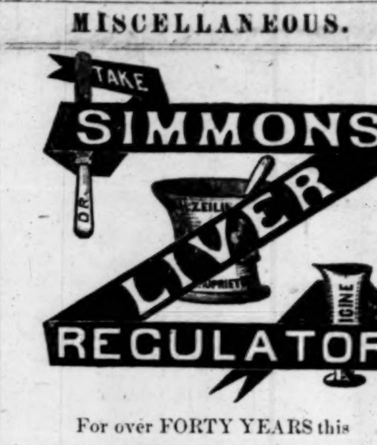
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Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

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C. B. BROTHER

Poetry.

Questions.

BY BAYARD TAYLOR.

One thought sits brooding in my bosom,
As brood'eth in her nest the dove;
A strange, delicious doubt o'er comes me—
But is it love?

I see her, hear her, daily, nightly:
Why secret dreams around her move,
Still nearer drawn in sweet attraction;
Can this be love?

Is't love without his tender tumult?
Or passion purified from pain?
In calmer forms the old emotions
Return again?

So still the stream, toward her sitting,
I whisper: Can it rise above
Her banks, and flood the guarded island
Where blooms her love?

Will she, to her a voice so timid,
A sky and doubtless heart incline,
Through desperate hope and endless longing
Awake in mine?

I breathe but peace when she is near me,
A peace her absence takes away:
My heart commends her constant presence,
Will hers obey?

Selected Story.

Captain Kate.

"I'm going down to the lake shore where it's cool and quiet; where I needn't work, or even think, but do just as I please." That's what I said to Fred Gorman.

Fred looked blank, "Don't go this afternoon," he said; "I wanted you to go with me to Madame W.'s to-night, and be presented to Captain Kate, the new belle."

"Thank you," I responded, "but no more girls of the period for me. if you please—I had rather be excused."

"Oh, but you must see Captain Kate!" he went on; "that's what they call her, because of the followers she has; she's worth seeing."

"I know the style," I said, with a majestic wave of the hand. "Bold eyes—blue, perhaps, black, probably, rather tall, immense chignon, laughs and cracks jokes like a trooper, and never says one word of sense. I repeat it my friend, not any for me."

"But just wait"—began Fred; and I interrupted, with another wave of the hand.

"My friend, I shall leave town this afternoon for the lake; should like your company, but if you choose to stay I go alone. I want nothing of this Kate, or any other woman."

"Pon my soul!" cried Fred, widening his blue eyes. "What has come over you, the king of [illegible] flirts? Been bitten, eh?"

"No, simply disgusted," I answered loftily. "I'm tired of work and women, and am going to leave both. Will you go?"

"Not till next week; then I'll follow."

"All right," I said, and we parted.

"King of flirts," Fred had called me, and that term needs some explanation, or I should regret having any of my friends think me that most detestible affair, a man butterfly.

I was thirty, not bad looking, and a well-to do young lawyer, possessed of a nice little property. I had a due appreciation of women—liked most of them extremely well, loved none; paid them some harmless compliments, chatted, walked and drove with them. But as for flirting—why, I spoke no word of love; gave no fair lady any reason for thinking I was in love; and still Mrs. Grundy gave me the appellation of "Male Flirt." Well, never mind, I didn't.

I went down to the lake shore that afternoon and engaged rooms at a private dwelling.

"We have three boarders now," the pleasant little lady said, "and expect one more to-morrow afternoon—a young relative from the city—and there are just rooms for one more."

Those I engaged and domiciled myself immediately in my quarters, but not at all pleased with the prospective young lady. There were two already; but harmless individuals, I mentally observed at the table; one a studious damsel who wore spectacles, and looked at the ceiling; the other an invalid, and wife of the male boarder. But this "coming girl"—who was she, and what did she want to disturb my coveted peace and country quiet for? No doubt she would be a dashing, slashing, panier- and-sash-end style of girl, who would dare me into making love to her, and give me no peace until I did. Flirtations might be all very well, but a feller didn't want to be dragged into it. when he was in search of quiet. This was my mental style of soliloquy until the coming girl came. I watched her from my window as the hack set her down.

Small, dressed in gray, veiled. That was all I saw, save two moderate sized trunks. All, until two hours later I saw her at the table, and took a private inventory. Rather below the medium height and slender in figure; fair, with faint color in her cheeks; hair dusky brown, curling, or rather waving, not quite to the shoulders, and tied with a blue ribon from the smooth brow; eyes, a quiet brown, and clear as a summer lake. That was all, I think, that I noticed. No; the mouth was very sweet, and pretty, and totally devoid of that society smirk and haughty curl, which are so decidedly repulsive in women. I remember thinking of that, and then quite forgetting Miss Whiting until the next day.

"A very quiet, sensible appearing and rather pretty young woman," I had said to myself, "and not one likely to molest me in my way."

I strolled out to a little arbor the next forenoon, with a book in my hand, and found Miss Whiting, with a book in her hand, seated in the same arbor.

"I beg pardon," I began; "I did not know the place was occupied."

"Make believe that it isn't," she said, "and come in. There is ample room, and I am so much interested in my book, that I shall not even see you."

Feeling decidedly complimented at the closing sentence, I seated myself on the opposite bench and opened my book But I did not progress rapidly. Miss Whiting was so interesting in repose, made such a pretty picture, sitting there, that I could not but watch her.

How interested she seemed to be in her book, and how utterly obvious of my own presence! Was I such a nonentity then?—I began to feel very uncomfortable. If she would only glance at me! but she wouldn't. Once she picked some crawling thing from her dress, and tossed it out at the door, but never glanced at me.

"Miss Whiting," I said at length, "pardon me, but I am tired of making believe; I had rather think the arbor occupied."

Miss Whiting kept on reading, and answered quietly:

"Very well, consider me here."

Not to be worsted in this way, I said, boldly.

"Well, but I want you to talk to me."

She closed her book, keeping one slender hand between the pages, and lifted her childishly calm eyes to my face.

"It is a very pleasant day, Mr. Lester," she said with perfect gravity.

"Decidedly." I responded.

"Much cooler since the shower," she observed.

It is," I assented.

"Looks some like rain in the east," she remarked.

"It does," I said, then we both laughed.

"Now," she said, "I hope you will let me go with my book. It is Dickens' 'Great Expectations,' and if you have ever read it, you can understand my interest."

"Do you like Dickens?" I asked.

"No," she said, "I love him. From the opening page to the 'Finis,' his books are gardens of delight to me. He interests you in his meanest character, and enlists your sympathies, not with one but with all. He is inimitable—he is incomparable. Others may in their style be as interesting, but to me there is none like him."

A deeper flush had come into her cheeks, and her eyes grew wider and darker.

"Decidedly pretty now," I informed myself, "and really quite an intelligent little person."

After that, Miss Whiting and I were quite sociable. I sought her society, and she did not avoid me, but treated me exactly as she did a younger brother. Not just that either, for she was a little more reserved; and yet we had some very pleasant chats together. She could talk sense, and I prided myself on my abilities in that line. and so almost a week slipped by before I knew it.

"I think I should find it very dull here but for you," I said one day.

"Odd, too, when I dreaded your coming so."

She looked up wonderingly, "Dreaded my coming?"

"Yes I feared you would be one of the slashing kind, and would dress to kill, and talk me wild, and give me no peace."

"What gave you that idea?"

"I don't know, unless it was being bored to death by my chum, Fred Gorman, about a 'Captain Kate,' the belle of the season, and I thought you might be her style."

"And did you ever see this Captain Kate?" asked Miss Whiting, lifting her calm lakes of eyes to mine.

"No; but I can imagine her," I answered.

"And what do you imagine her like?"

Thereupon I gave her a discription very much as I had given Fred, and closed by saying:

"Now that kind of a girl I cannot tolerate, and fearing you were one of them, no wonder I dreaded you."

"Then you do not consider me at all like Captain Kate," she queried archly.

"Not at all," I said decidedly. "As I told in the beginning, but for you I should feel stupid and dull. Your society renders it very pleasant, and you are in all things the opposite to my fears."

"Oh, thank you."

She said it so dryly, that I looked up to catch the hidden meaning of her words, but she was reading and her face was as calm as usual.

The next day Fred came. I was standing at the gate, when he came from the hotel, and after the greetings, Fred brought his hand down on my shoulder

"So Ben, my boy, you jumped from the frying-pan into the fire, didn't you? Ha! ha! good joke. How do you like her?"

I turned in astonishment. "Like who?—what do you mean?"

"Why, Captain Kate, of course."

"I havn't seen Captain Kate, thank you," I replied with dignity.

"What, don't Miss Catharine Whiting board here with her step aunt, Mrs. Dearbone?"

I jumped at least three feet into the air.

"You don't mean—" I began, while Fred inturupted cooly—

"As a jumpist, you are a successist. As a stupid blockhead you also excel. Yes, Miss Whiting is Captain Kate."

"But Fred," I said, helplessly, "she is so innocent and childlike, and rarely pretty, and so sweet and quiet."

"All put on," said Fred, shaking his head gravely. "She is a regular flirt, and those are her arts. She's weaving her nets around you, I see successfully."

The emotions of my heart I should find difficult to explain. But I found Miss Whiting in the arbor, half an hour later. after Fred left, and I lifted my hat with a flourish and knelt at her feet.

"All honor to Captain Kate," I said in mock humility.

She closed her book with almost a yawn.

"You've found out," she said; "who told you?"

"Fred. And shall I ask pardon for remarks made yesterday?"

"Certainly not," she said, gently. "You had never seen me then."

"And now I have a proposition to make," I began. "We are to spend several weeks together here and report calls you a terrible flirt—"

"So it does you," she interupted. "I heard of you before I left town."

"Very well," I continued. "the more need of my proposition. It is this. Let us enter into a league to have a grand flirtation; each knowing that there is no danger of a broken heart on either side. Thus we have nothing to fear, nothing to guard, and can be very happy."

"But what is the need?" she asked. "We havn't flirted before—why need we now?"

"Because we couldn't help it; and it is better to go about it with a full understanding than so sly about it in the old way. Thinking you harmless Miss Whiting I could have gone on all summer and never dreamed of flirting; knowing you to be Captain Kate, I shall suspect you of malicious intentions every move you make. Therefore let us agree to a flirtation and all will be well."

"I agree," she said archly, "and here is my hand upon it." She gave me her hand I remember thinking how soft and shapely it was— I raised it to my lips.

"Would your heart come with it?" I said and she laughed merrily.

"Bravo! a good beginning! I see you are no amateur!" she cried; and we launched on the sea of flirtation.

I told Fred of our arrangement the following day. I thought he looked pleased.

"All right, old fellow," he said shaking my hand heartily. "I am glad you are not my rival, for I am in earnest. I want to marry Miss Whiting, if I can, and didn't like to think I was fighting against you. You are quite sure you are in earnest?"

"Quite sure," I answered. "Go on my dear boy, with my blessing; but don't marry her before I leave, and so spoil our flirtation."

"Oh, no! I shouldn't think of it under a year. My business won't permit, and I suppose she will be willing to wait," and Fred looked as grave and thoughtful as though it were settled.

"No doubt she will wait any length of time you suggest," I said, so drily that Fred looked up, quizzingly. Seeing me perfectly serious, he continued:

"And, Ben, couldn't you—seeing you have no intention there yourself—couldn't you speak a good word for my prospects? Speak about that uncle of mine that went to India twenty years ago, and has never been heard of since. You couldn't put that in though; just say he went there, and I am the only heir."

I assured Fred I would do so. "Just as well as not," I said. Will bring your perfections all to the light, and say nothing of your failings." Fred thanked me warmly, and we parted.

Captain Kate was in the garden when I returned. She was dressed in blue, thin gauze stuff, and a frill of lace at her throat and wrists. She looked exceedingly pretty, and I told her so.

"Good!" she cried, bringing her shapely hands together. "I dressed purposely to make you pay compliments and have succeeded. Am I really truly pretty?"

"Rearly and truly," I echoed.

"And my eyes are not bold, and I do not seem like a trooper?"

"Your eyes are the sweetest in the world, and you seem like an angel."

She breathed a long breath.

"How nice! Now where have you been?"

"To see Fred—the finest fellow alive. Got a rich uncle in India somewhere, and is the only heir."

"Does that constitute his fitness?" she said a little scornfully.

"According to a woman's ideas, yes. But that is not all. He's a splendid fellow, good, intelligent, steady."

"Rather a splendid fellow," she acknowledged, "and he waltzes like an angel."

"Are angels proficient in that accomplishment!" I laughed.

"Well, I suppose so," she retorted. "You call me an angel, and I waltz beautifully."

I should never have recognized Miss Whiting for the girl I had known before. She dropped her quiet, calm, child like self, and asumed the gay, dazzling mask of Captain Kate.

She dressed becoming and elegantly, yet with no show or glare of colors, else it would not have been becoming. She studied my taste in all things, and fairly dazzled me with her wit and beauty. Yet I think I missed Miss Whiting sorely for a few days after her departure and Kate's advent. We walked, we sat, we drove, we talked together. Fred occupied all the spare moments and few as they were, he seemed hopeful; for Fred was always hopeful about all things, though he never succeeded in anything. He had paid his undivided attention to three young ladies, at different times, and been certain of success, and each time failed. He was not cast down, however; but was now looking confidently forward to his union with Captain Kate.

"You have helped me a great deal, Ben," he would say, "and I thank you heartily for your kind words. When I am settled, consider my home yours."

"Certainly," I would respond. "I will Fred."

So three weeks slipped by, and in two more I should depart. Our flirtations continued unabated. Kate was bewildering, and I sometimes trembled for my own safety. Once when standing near by her, my lips somehow came in contact with hers, and I had never felt quite safe since that day. "Kissing provoketh love," I said, "and I will avoid that hereafter."

So I did, and we sailed, and rode, and flirted deliciously through the remaining two weeks, and one morning I arose with the uncomfortable feeling upon me that it had all come to an end, and I was to leave on the forenoon train. I also arose with another knowledge—that I was very much in love with Captain Kate; yes, decidedly, irrevocably in love. I had an odd feeling, too, that it was just what Captain Kate intended; and I determined to keep my secret locked in my breast. So I complimented her, in the old mock way, through the morning, and was conscious that under all her gayety, there was lirking disappointment. And then I nerved myself for it, and went to the arbor to say the last farewell.

"With my most heartfelt thanks for the pleasant flirtations you had so kindly indulged me in, and hoping you all happiness in the future, I will say good-bye."

"And who will I dress for now, and who will pay me pretty compliments, and admire me?"

"Fred will serve as a substitute, won't he?" I asked, but she shook her head, gravely,

"Fred is not frivolous enough."

"Thanks for the compliment," I laughed. "And now may the fates provide for you until you return to town."

So I left her, with a greater pain in my heart than I ever had before; a pain that grew deeper and deeper every step I took, till at the foot of the hill it became unendurable and I turned about and walked defiantly back to the arbor. Captain Kate's face was in her hands, and tears were falling upon her dress.

"Kate," I said softly, "what is the matter?"

She started violently, and then laughed through her tears.

"I hurt my finger with a thorn and it made me cry."

"Let me extract the thorn," I said, putting my arm about her waist. "And I came back to tell you that I was tired of make believe love, and wanted to play love in earnest, will you?"

"Why—I suppose I could—only—"

"Only what Kate?"

"Why, about the grand flirtation?"

"We will end it in a grand wedding," I said.

"I guess that would be a good idea," Kate answered from my shoulder.

I said good-bye again, and went to see Fred.

"By the way, Ben," he said, "now you are going, I think I shall propose to Kate and settle matters."

"I wouldn't Fred," said I, "for she is going to marry me"

It was rather abrupt, but Fred got over it, and his uncle really came from India and gave him a handsome fortune and he married my pretty sister and is very happy.

Miscellaneous.

Calico as a Religious Element.

"I can't go to church because I have nothing fit to wear," How often is this remark made, and how often is it true? In the city one may slip into back pews or sit unnoticed in the gallery if the attire be poor, but in villages and in the country, where everybody knows everybody, dress becomes a matter of prime importance. For many a woman the entire service is spoiled because she is conscious that her bonnet is old-fashioned, or her frock is out of vogue, or her cloak worn, and while she remembers what an element is dress in the summing up of character among her sex, she forgets that all souls are alike naked before God. For such an one doubtless "closet" worship is far more profitable than sanctuary devotion; and yet it should be so in our churches that the humblest and highest could feel equal freedom in worshipping with the great congregation.

Sometimes the sermon grows dull or we grow tired of following the clue: we study the dress of the congregation and are sad at evidences of pitiful contrivance to keep up a "genteel appearance" on the part of many whom we know to be poor. A flimsy fabric showily trimmed; the remains of one good dress eked out with ruffles or folds from another; a hat "done over" in the latest fashion; these and multiplied evidences of ingenuity and industry at every point in getting up a church toilet, have led us to believe that plainness of dress on the part of the rich would be genuine Christian charity to the poor.

There are those in every church who, by reason of their wealth or position, exersise a commanding influence upon all that come in immediately or indirect contact with them. Plainness of apparel at church and simplicity of manner in such individuals will prove an efficient to an earnest and zealous minister who cares for souls. We have read of a certain metropolitan church, the female members of which held a meeting and resolved to wear only calico at the Sunday services. Perhaps no movement would be more effective than this in bringing to the sanctuary vast numbers of care-worn faces and bent forms now rarely seen within the sacred portals. Almost every woman can afford a new calico dress, and if this were deemed good enough to wear at meeting how many pinched lives would be gladdened, how many hearts repressed by "chill penury" would be rejoiced, how many empty seats in our churches would be filled. We commend to our readers who can afford silks and satins reflections upon the subject of calico as a religious element.

Caught in His Own Trap.

A girl, young and pretty, and above all gifted with an air of admirable candor, lately presented herself before a Parisian lawyer.

"Monsieur, I have come to consult you on a grave affair. I want you to oblige a man I love to marry me in spite of himself. How shall I proceed?"

The gentleman of the bar had, of course, a sufficiently elastic conscience. He reflected a moment, and then being sure that no one overheard him, replied hesitatingly:

"Madamoiselle, according to our law, you always possess the means of forcing a man to marry you. You must remain on three occasions alone with him; you can then go before a judge and swear that he is your lover."

"And will that suffice, Monsieur?"

"Yes, Madamoiselle, with one further condition."

"Well?"

"Then you will produce witnesses who will make oath to having seen you remain good quarter of an hour with the individual said to have trifled with your affections."

"Very well, Monsieur, I will retain you as counsel in the management of this affair. Good day."

A few days afterwards the young lady returned. She was mysteriously received by the lawyer, who scarcely gave her time to seat herself, questioned her with the most lively curiosity.

"Capital, capital!"

"Persevere in your design, Madamoiselle, but the next time you come to consult me, give me the name of the young man you are going to make so happy in spite of himself."

A forthnight afterwards the young lady knocked at the door of the counsel's room. No sooner was she in than she flung herself into a chair, saying that the walk had made her breathless. Her counsel tried to reassure her, made her inhale salts, and even proposed to unloose her garments.

"It is useless, Monsieur," she said, "I am much better."

"Well, now tell me the name of the fortunate mortal."

"Well, then the fortunate mortal, be it known to you, is yourself," said the young beauty bursting into a laugh. "I love you, I have been here three times *tete-a-tete* with you, and my four witnesses are below, ready and willing to accompany me to a magistrate," gravely continued the narrator.

The lawyer, thus caught, had the good sense not to get angry. The most singular fact of all is that he adores his young wife.

An Englishman, it is said, having heard about the Yankee propensity of "bragging," thought he would make an experiment in the art himself. He walked up to a market woman's stand, and pointing to some large watermelons said: "What; don't you raise any bigger apples than those in America?" "Apples!" said the woman, disdainfully, "anybody might know you was an Englishman. Them's huckleberries."

The editor of the Lexington (Mo.) *Intelligencer* has so many pretty young lady visitors he cannot get his paper out in time. His office is a perfect art gallery every afternoon, and he is happy.

Women are like horses—The gayer the harness they have on, the better they feel. We got this from an old bachelor, who was early crossed in love.

The man who tried to sweeten his tea with one of his wife's smiles, has "fallen back on sugar."

Josh Billings on Oath.

Josh Billings being duly sworn, testifys az follows:

Eight wont go into six and have much ov ennything left over. Menny a young feller haz found out his sum in arithmetic bi triing to git a number eight foot into a number six boot.

Virtue, in one respekt, iz like munny. That which we have to work the hardest for sticks to us the best.

Affektashun never improved eny body yet. It iz better to be a devil than a hypokrit.

I hav often heard there waz men who knew more than they could tell, but I never met one. I have often met thoze who could tell a great deal more than they knu, and waz willing to sware to it besides.

To be proof agin flattery, a man must hav no vanity, and such a man never existed; ef he did, he iz now one ov the lost arts.

Sum people are good simply bekauze they are too lazy to be wicked, and others bekause they hant got a good chance.

In munny, interests phollows the principal; in morals, principle often phollows the interest.

Yu will notis one thing—the devil seldum offers to go into partnership with a bizzy man, but yu will often see him offer to line the lazy man, and furnish all the kapital.

Love iz about the only pashun ov the heart, that i kan think ov now, that never makes enny mistakes that she can be held accountable for. If yu waz a going tew try pure love for crime, what court would you take her before?

"In time ov peace prepare for war." This iz the way sum familys live all the time.

The vices which a man kontrakts in hiz youth, however mutch he may shake them oph, will often call on him thru life and seek to renew hiz acquaintance.

Every man haz his phollys, but there iz this difference—in the poor man, they look like crimes, while, in the rich man, they only appear tew be exsentricitys.

Old age inkreases us in wisdom and also in rumatism.

I kno lots ov pholks who are pious jis bekause they waz born so. They kant tell when they got religion, and if they should lose it, they wouldn' kno it.

When fortune pipes, we must dance. It aint alwus that she iz in tune.

I think the honesty ov man iz oftner the effekt ov policy than principle.

Thare iz only one kind of folks who kan keep a sekret good, and they never take any to keep.

The man who iz wicked enough tew be dreaded iz a safer man in community than the man who iz just virtewous enuff not to be suspected.

Hypockrasy iz alwus humble.

Grace Greenwood, in her "Washington Notes" to the New York *Times* says:

I am not sorry to see fresh young girls in the departments—it is a pretty sight—but I like better to know that government is given employment to widows with children to support, and old maids with other people's children to support A friend coming out of the building one day, and walking behind a couple of fair young Treasury girls, overheard a fragment of conversation. "He is so nice. He says, you know, that he don't want any old ladies at his receptions, but only young and pretty ones." It did not appear who that gay Lothario of the Cabinet was—I hope not Mr. Boutwell—but I am glad the girls can go to pleasant receptions, and I hope they can dress charmingly and have no end of beaux and boquets, but there are in that Treasury building women who are supporting from three to six persons on $25 a month. I do not think these employees frequent receptions much. There is in one of the bureaus there a child of fourteen; hired by the day, who, on less than $25 a month, supports her self and her brother, a man grown, but totally blind. I imagine *she* does not spend much on boquets.

A Vermont town is divided. Its clergyman ventured to engage, one unlucky evening recently, in a social game of "blind-man's buff" and now there are two parties in the place quarreling without ceasing over the question whether in so doing he committed a sin, or was merely guilty of an indiscretion. The bitterness of the feeling has compelled him to resign his charge.

Rebecca Roberts was burned to death in Wilmington, Sunday night. She was sleeping in a chair before the fire after midnight, when her clothing ignited.—Her two sons were sleeping in an adjoining room, but before they could render effective aid, the flames had done their work, and the victim died almost instantly.

Workmen in digging a well in Anne Arundel County, Maryland, have found, forty-eight feet below the surface, some very curious petrifactions, including the foot of a deer of gigantic size, and oysters and marine worms. The form of the animals was perfectly preserved, but how the deer's foot came where marine animals existed is for geologists to determine.

A Congressional collector of autographs sent his book to Mr. Oakes Ames, who wrote, with his signature. "Put what you have where it will do the most good."

A pathetic indication of the approach of Spring was noticed in Bangor, the other day. A boy was seen sitting on a snow-bank 20 feet high, flying a kite.

There is said to be a woman in California who is 137 years old. Her parents can point to her with pride as a specimen of their success in raising children.

A merchant advertises for a clerk "who could bear confinement," and received an answer from one who had been seven years in jail.

India rubber will stretch out unto the crack of doom, and that seems to be reached by the Goodyear patents. They will hardly be extended further.

A Wisconsin soldier has the original draft of the first North Carolina Constitution, having purloined it from the State Library at the close of the war.

A Minnesota man had his wife arrested for assaulting him, and then had to pay the $50 fine which was imposed on her by the judge.

A new paper in Texas starts out with the announcement that "in religion we are conservative, and we intend to adhere to the cash system."

Captain Jack, of the Modocs, is the coming man.

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ENCOURAGE OUR YOUNG MEN TO LEARN TRADES.

One of the evils of our time is the limited number of young men who are learning trades. The demand for skilled and well trained mechanics in all the trades is rapidly increasing. We have an over-supply already of bunglers, but first-class workmen are exceedingly scarce; and the time will soon come when any one who desires to have a good job of work in wood, brick or iron, will have trouble enough, unless he will be satisfied with the coarsest and commonest workmanship. Nor is there the improvement we would like to see, or effort among the trades to bring their work up to the highest standards. There is also a manifest disposition to slight their work, the one aim and object being apparently to get it completed and secure the pay, with little manifest anxiety that it reflects credit on the workman or the art.

This low state of the trades has been contributed to by many circumstances. The low grade of intelligence among the laboring classes, however, that legacy and curse of the old order of things, has been the chief obstacle to the perfection of the mechanic arts, placing us in this respect at least a half a century behind so many other portions of the Union. Labor has been dishonorable and dishonored, and the result has been to practically drive away from the trades the best material, out of which skilled workmen are made. We might enlarge on this, but it is unnecessary.

Now we hold that there is no more useful member of society, no one who is more to be respected and honored, than he who by his superior skill and genius makes beautiful houses for us to dwell in, carriages to ride in, furniture to use, and so forth—those things which not only minister to our comfort but to our tastes. It is the application of aesthetics to the trades which lifts them into higher and more honorable ranks, which transforms the rude wigwam into the palace, the stool or bench into the chair and sofa, the coarsest material into the finest fabrics. These are the results of the highest education of the tastes, and of the greatest skill attainable in workmanship.

Who then does not see at once that it is impossible to attain the highest degree in the mechanic arts if only the most inferior and menial classes are encouraged to enter the trades. How can their uncultivated tastes follow the law of aesthetics, for where there is no clearly defined ideal in the mind there cannot be graceful and shapeful execution by the hand. If then, the useful arts are to be cultivated; if we are to arrive at perfection, or if we are to make any advance on the present condition of the trades, an intelligent class of apprentices must be secured.

LOOKING TOWARD THE SOUTH.

We do not exagerate when we assert that there is no country on this green earth combining so many advantages together for diversified agriculture and pursuits as North Carolina. Here are found abundant material for many kinds of manufactories. What has cost other sections of country millions to concentrate, are found here together awaiting only the enterprizing skill of the manufacturer.

We have read of the sufferings and loss at the West by the intense cold of this winter, and it astonishes us to see people selecting such a climate and country to live in, when there is an empire here in the South of fine lands adapted to diversified farming, growing all the crops that are grown in the West, besides other varieties that cannot be raised there. And here, too, we have shorter winters and summers quite as pleasant as in the North.

Many people in the North, and also in the West, are getting tired of their severe winters. They are turning their attention Southward—making inquiry of Southern lands and farming. They say "our winters are too severe, and it takes too much labor and food to winter stock —we want to find a more genial climate." Let us encourage them in this. We benefit them and they will help us. We want an increase of enterprizing, working population. We need their example their influence, their aid. We must have our large plantations cut up into small farms—farms that can be managed well, and properly cultivated, and then will we see prosperity where we now witness stagnation.

There is a project agitated of forming a new State, to be called 'Alleghany,' out of Western North Carolina, Eastern Tennesee, and South Western Virginia, with the capitol at Knoxville or Chattanooga. The territory thus described consists almost wholly of mountain land and the new State would be the Switzerland of America. It would also be immensely rich in mineral deposits.

CHRISTIAN STATESMEN.

It seems to be the fashion just now for certain journals to couple with their comments on the shortcomings of certain public men a sneering allusion to "Christian statesmen." We fail to see the force of this fling at Christianity. If gentlemen who have hitherto borne the reputation of being upright public servants have failed in the public estimation in living up to the high standard fixed for them, the failure is not to be attributed to their Christian principles, but rather to a lack of such principles.

If the charges raised against them are true it shows that they were not "Christian statesmen;" therefore the fling at Christianity is out of place. If the charges are false the fling is pointless, for neither the man nor his principles deserve censure.

No "Christian statesman" has fallen. None will fall. Men may wear the cloak of heaven to serve the devil in, and the keen eye of the public may detect the disguise and strip it from the hypocrite, and turn him out to receive the deserved scorn of the world. But these men were not Christian; and to attach their villainy to the church is as mean as it is unjust.

We have Christian statesmen in our country. They may not move in regiments or battalions, but they can be found on all hands. They are true men, sound to the core, with no moral rottenness or taint of suspicions about them. They come before us as Christian statesmen; they make good the title by their acts; they continue as such through long public service; they go down to the grave and take their place in history as Christian statesmen.

We want more such men. We should encourage their growth. We should make the Christian statesman the highest type, and endeavor to train our public officials to live up to the high standard.

Let us hear no more of these silly and senseless flings at "Christian statesmen." Unless we are ready to deny the power of Christianity in shaping the civilization of the world we cannot afford to saddle upon it the faults and shortcomings of men who have failed to live up to its precepts.

POLITICAL MORALITY.

It is quite refreshing to note the comments of the Opposition press on the result of the Credit Mobilier investigation. To read some of these journals, one would think that they were the exponents of a party that never sinned; that held in its keeping all the public and private virtue in the land. Democratic editors who never had a word to say against the sin of rebellion; who defended Tweed and his brother thieves as high-toned gentlemen and model public servants; who have grown rich by using their columns to advocate and justify the schemes of a corrupt lobby, suddenly assume an air of saintly innocence, and proceed to lecture the nation on the sins and shortcomings of the Republican party.

The spectacle is a novel one, and we trust these self-appointed guardians of public purity will keep at their work and give their hard-shell readers a daily lecture on the beauty and necessity of political honesty. It will do good both to writer and reader. The Democratic editor may infuse in his own system a little genuine honesty by continually exercising his brain over honest sentiments. His subscribers, who take their intellectual food at his table, may think the conversation genuine, and be thus led to honest reformation themselves.

So keep up your show of virtuous indignation, gentlemen; you can do no harm to the Republican party, but may succeed in penetrating the sin-toughened hide of Democracy with a feeling of remorse that will awaken some of its leaders to make efforts to save themselves, if not the party they adhere to. If this Credit Mobilier business leads our Democratic neighbors to a closer intimacy with their long neglected bibles, and forces them to look over a few chapters on honesty to know what it really means, and how to write on the subject, we may reasonably expect, as the logical result a general breaking up of the Democratic party during the next four years. If the Republican party by investigating the shortcomings of a few of its members, can start the Democratic party in pursuit after honesty, why should not the world rejoice?

OUR SCHOOLS.

One of the first questions about a new country asked by a Northern immigrant is: What are the School and Church facilities? At the West they understand this, and behold the results. The school house and the church receive first consideration, and this contributes wonderfully to the success which has crowned their efforts to induce immigration. All the other inducements conceived of may be offered, and yet with neglect of these two—the school and the church—great results may not be expected. A few may come, but they will not stay. They will leave at the first opportunity.

Those countries of Europe, as well as those States of the North, whose people are most prosperous, most intelligent and in every respect most desirable as citizens here, are found with a good common school system; in some of them the education of the children is even compulsory. To induce them to come we must see to it that our school system is put in, and *kept in* good working order. It will pay. In addition to the direct and immediate benefits conferred upon the present citizen, it would make one of the strongest points to advertise to the world and would draw with an attractive force greater than any other agency which could be devised.

Congress having appropriated $100,000 for the purpose of erecting additional life-saving stations on the Atlantic coast, the Revenue Marine Bureau has decided to locate them on the coasts of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and between Capes Henry and Hatteras.

Newton Bateman, Superintendent of Schools in Illinois, recommends compulsory Education, in his report to the legislature.

NOW IS THE TIME.

We have frequently had occasion to copy articles from the Elizabeth City *Carolinian*, calculated to inspire an interest in North Carolina and her resources. Feeling a deep interest in the welfare of our mother State it gives us pleasure to co-operate with our brothers in the good work of building it up.

Dr. John is an adopted Carolinian, was cast in a political mould different from our own, yet he seems to have the best interests of the State at heart, and we note the zeal of such with great satisfaction.

We copy the above from the *Roanoke News*, published at Weldon, this State. We thank our cotemporary for the kindly feeling he manifests toward us, and we are glad to know that we can rely upon his co-operation in the "good work of building up" this grand old State. It *can* be done and we feel more assured than ever that it WILL be.

THE SALARY BILL.

The bill passed by Congress increasing the saleries of the officers of the general Government, fixes the pay as follows:

The President	$50,000
The Vice President	10,000
Chief Justice Supreme Court	10,500
Justices Supreme Court, each	10,000
Cabinet officers	10,000
Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury State, and Interior	6,000
Speaker of the House, after the present Congress	10,000
Senators, Representatives, and Delegates including present Congress	7,500

We see the warming statement that Iowa's prodigal sons of the soil put, each day, 50,000 bushels of corn into their kitchen fires! What think you of this, Eastern farmers, you who hoard the grains of maize as if they were literally gold (and not ground)? Of course it strikes you as, if not a wicked, at least a conspicuous waste. And yet you must remember that the price out there went down to 10 cents in December, and that wood is scarce, and in places tremendously high, and so it came about in a very natural way that the burning of corn was found very convenient.—*New York Tribune.*

And yet, until recently, the "tide of immigration" has been to the West. It must change—must turn Southward, to a land quite as fertile, with a climate very mild, where wood is abundant and the products of the farm command living prices because of the cheap transportation to the leading markets of the Union

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Much anxiety has been created in France by the serious illness of President Thiers. He is deprived of sleep, and his bodily weakness increases to such an extent that, with his weight of years a fatal result is regarded as not improbable. The unsettled condition of political affairs in France makes the life of Thiers just now of capital importance. Should he be taken away, there is likely to be a struggle of hostile factions for the control of the government, and an escape from bloodshed cannot be counted on with any degree of confidence.

The Editor of the *North Carolinian* says he is indulging in the luxury of early spring vegetables from his own garden, but then he can't go sleigh riding or enjoy the pleasant pastime of shoveling snow. Come North.—*Danville (Pa.) American.*

We pray to be excused. We spent forty years of our life in the North, and during that time were compelled to engage in the "shoveling snow" business a good deal more than was enjoyable. The "sleigh riding" didn't compensate for it.

Hon SCUYLER COLFAX, was honored by a grand reception given him by the people of his native city on his return home. An address of welcome was delivered by the Mayor, which was responded to by the ex-Vice President. A resolution was unamously adopted in which they declared that he was a model statesman, temperate and faithful, and that they had undiminished confidence in his honor and integrity, both as a public man and a private citizen.

On the increased Salary question we shall have a word to say in due time, For the present we only remark that we have always believed it just and right to pay our public servants a fair price for their labor, but the retroactive feature of this bill as passed we do not endorse.

Several changes have been made in the Federal offices in this State. R. C. BADGER Esq., has been appointed District Attorney *vice* D. H. STARBUCK, and ROBERT M. DOUGLAS U. S. Marshal *vice* Col. S. T. CARROW. Ex Governor W. W. HOLDEN has been appointed Post Master at Raleigh.

The New Hampshire election was held on the 11th,. The Republican State ticket is elected, though by a reduced majority. The Legislature is Republican. We have gained a Member of Congress in the First and possibly another in the Second District.

The Cuban slaveholders are agitated on the prospect of emancipation on the Island. The negroes are looking for it, and the indications now are that it will be accomplished.

Hon GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary of the Treasury, has just been elected to succeed Hon HENRY WILSON in the United States Senate.

Japan has recently added $2,000,000 to its grant for school purposes.

Amelia Spockly, aged 14, was shot dead by George Hall, aged 18, as she was returning from school, near Salisbury, Md., on Friday afternoon. It appears that the youth was a lover of the girl, that she did not favor his advances, and that he had laid in wait for her the previous day, but did not then carry out his purpose, owing to the presence of her brother. Hall and his victim belong to respectable families of Wicomico county, living a short distance from Salisbury. He escaped arrest, but is supposed to have committed suicide by theowing himself under a freight train near Crisfield, Md., on Saturday night.

William B. Andrews, for fifteen years janitor of the Massachusetts Medical College, in Boston, committed suicide by shooting himself Tuesday morning. He He was 53 years of age.

OUR CORRESPONDENCE

Let Them Come.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

We want about fifteen thousand Yankee immigration in our midst. We want them to come among us and bring their thrift and enterprise. We have room enough around our little town for them all to build up good homes, and help us to build up a city. We want the capitalist to come, the farmer, the mechanic, and every other industrions go-ahead man. We have lots of room for the moneyed man, lots of factories to build; good investments for them, and, for us, plenty of room for the mechanics lots of timber, and other materials to work up. We want to see them on our streets with their lively looks and Yankee ingenuity. The South needs this class of people, and we know that our people will hold out their hands and welcome them.

Every town in the South needs this kind of men. Men who will work for the interest of the country. Men who have ingenuity to plan, and enterprise to carry out. Men who are not afraid to invest a few dollars into a factory, a railroad, or any other enterprise. Men who are up with the times, and can see the necessity for keeping everything on the move.

For this kind of men we can easily afford to give away a few old fogies. Men who oppose schools and the building of colleges; are afraid that factories would not pay, and who would squeeze a half dollar until the eagle thereon would cry out in pain; who hold every nickle with a vice-like grip. Such men as these will never build up a country, but will be a perpetual doawback to any community.

We don't want any such; but to the right kind of men—those with industry and enterprise—there is plenty of room.

Let them come and help us build up the country.

NATIVE SOUTHERNER.

Elizabeth City, March 17th, 1873.

Is he Rich?

To the Editor of the North Carolinian;

In this age when so much is sacrificed to the Mammon of Wealth, it were well to pause now and then, and see where it is leading to. It extends to all classes and ramifies every department of society—the desire to get money. Nor is it confined to business affairs. Many a sigh is heaved, many a *heart* is broken, many a life is rendered miserable by the terrible infatuation commonly manifested in choosing life companions.

Oh what a mistake is too often committed when all else is made subsequent to this one end. It isn't possible for happiness to result from the union of two principles as diametrically opposed to each other in every part as virtue and vice. And yet, how often is wealth considered a better recomendation than virtue? How often is the first question asked? "Is he rich?" Does that afford any evidence that he will make a kind and affectionate husband? "Is he rich?" Yes his clothing is purple and fine linen, and he fares sumptuously every day; but can you tell from this that he is virtuous? "Is he rich?" Yes, he has thousands floating on every ocean, but do not riches sometimes take wings and fly away?

Let no young woman marry a man who has nothing to recomend him but his wealth. Beware: The gilded bait often covers a bearded hook. Ask not then "Is he rich?" Ask not, then, if he has wealth, but has he honor? Do not sacrifice peace and happiness for money.

VIGIL.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Mar. 1873.

Proceedings of County Commissioners.

March 17th, 1873.

Commissioners met to-day: Present, C. W. Smith, Cham., Edmond Daily, Jas. S. Wilcox, Abram Morris and Emanuel Davis.

The report of the jury upon the road leading along the river bank by Capt. Water's house was laid before the Board and after it was explained it was confirmed and ordered registered.

Ordered that Wm. R. Abbott, Agt. or owner of the Bridge across Pasquotank River, and James Sawyer, keeper of said Bridge be notified to appear before this Board on the 1st Monday in April 1873, and show cause why they charge toll to passers over said Bridge.

Adjourned to meet the first Monday in April, 1873.

JNO. T. PRICE,
Clerk.

Resources of North Carolina.

North Carolina has a territory of greater extent than either of the great States of New York or Pennsylvania, and yet her population but slightly exceeds a million. These are scattered sparsely over all the State, the preponderance if any being in the eastern counties. Although North Carolina has made no special efforts to attract immigration, yet a large number of new settlers have occupied her soil in the last few yerrs, and in every instance where proper industry and economy have prevailed, there has, been no lack of success. A very casual view of the resources and capabilities of North Carolina is enough to satisfy one that her position among the sisterhood of States need not be second to any. If immigration shall set toward the South the Old North State will be very sure to attract a pretty large share of it. Let us glance at some of her prominent advantages. Her eastern borders afford large bodies of the finest timber, easily accessible to water transportation. These lands, cleared and drained, are as fine as any in the world, and the fact is demonstrated by the number of setlers who have settled in this region and are now working with great profit. The turpentine trees are highly remunerative. The culture of cotton and cereals in the eastern counties is profitable, and properly set with scuppernong, flowers, mish and other native grapes, the soil of this section produces more than twice as many gallons to the acre as Europe can obtain.

The soil of the middle region, extending nearly three hundred miles to the mountains, is either naturally good or capable of being improved to the highest point. It produces such crops as cotton, clover, tobacco or grass. All fruits suited to the temperate climate thrive well. The mountain region, which is about two hundred miles in length and about sixty in breadth, is remarkable for its abundant yield of grain crops, its clover, timothy, orchard grass, &c., not being surpassed. The summer climate here is delightful. The country is noted for its water power, the variety and excellence of its apples and grapes, and its fine timber. The minerals in the middle and western part of the State consist of the best iron ores, copper ores, and gold mines are found in several counties. In addition there are several extensive mica mines.—*Norfolk Journal.*

It is a commentary on the present lawless state of the city that at a party in our best society not long, ago, the attendant in the gentlemans dressing-room discovered that almost every overcoat in his charge had a loaded revolver in its pocket.—*New York Mail.*

Newburyport's latest is a petrified cat in a church steeple.

At Baltimore, Tuesday morning George Wondersleet, aged twenty-one, fell down the shaft of the Union Railroad tunnel, a distance of 60 feet and was instantly killed. He was drunk at the time.

Rev. Mr. Hammond approached an Iowa man and asked him if he was a christian. "No," replied the other party, "I am a railroad man." "Well," said Mr. Hammond, "I know of several conductors in New England that are Christians." "That may work down East all right, but a man can't be both in Iowa," responded the employee.

A chignon has been found in at least one case to have been a blessing in a monstrous disguise. A woman in Meriden, Conn., was lately thrown from a sleigh and struck on the back of her head with a violence which would doubtless have killed her but for an enormous chignon filled with rats, puffs, and other life saving apparatus, that broke her fall so that she was but slightly injured. We should, nevertheless, not reccomend the wearing of these monstrosities on the chagnce of their saving the head from being split open, though of course we do not wish to encourage the breaking of feminine heads.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

State of North Carolina, Currituck County.

Hodgers Gallop, vs Robert B. Brantley — JUSTICE'S COURT. Before H. W. Beasley J.

This suit is instituted to recover of the defendant the sum of Forty-five dollars and Forty five cents which the defendant Robert B. Brantley, assumed to pay, and has not paid, a summons having been issued directed to Thos. Baum, Constable, made returnable before me upon the 21st day of Febuary, 1873, which summons was returned by the officer. Not found.

Oath having been made before me that the said Robert B. Bently is a non-resident of this State or conceals himself so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, the said Robert B. Bently will take notice that an attachment has been issued against the Real and personal property, in Atlantic Township of which he is the owners or reputed owner, made returnable before me, at Kitty Hawk, upon Saturday the 12th day of April, 1873, at eleven o'clock, at which time he will appear and show cause, why judgment should not be rendered and execution issued for said amount of Forty-five dollars and Forty-five cents and cost and interest that may accrue.

Given under my hand this 21st day of Febuary 1873.

H. W. BEASLEY, J. P.

39-4t

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E. City, N. C., Mar. 12, 1873.

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Edenton, N. C., Mar. 12, 1873.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

BANKRUPTCY.

THE FIFTY PER CENT. CLAUSE.

As there seems to be a misunderstanding in regard to the effect of the provision of the Bankrupt Act, commonly called the 50 per cent. clause, we publish the following extracts from the Act:

The second clause of the thirty-third section as amended by the Act of July 27, 1868, provides "that no discharge shall be granted to a debtor whose assets *shall not be equal* to fifty per centum of the *claims proved against* his estate upon which he *shall be liable as the principal debtor*, unless the assent of writing of a majority in number and value of his creditors *to whom he shall have become liable as principal debtor, and who shall have proved their claims*, filed in the case at or before the time of hearing of the application for discharge.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled—that the provision of the second clause of the thirty-third section of said act as amended by the first section of an act in amendment thereof, approved July 27th, 1868, shall not apply to those debts from which the bankrupt seeks a discharge which were contracted prior to January 1st, 1869.

The true meaning is not that a bankrupt must be able to *pay* fifty per cent of all his debts, before he can obtain a discharge, as many believe; but that his estate, in the hands of his assignee, at the time of the discharge, must *be equal, to fifty per cent.* of the amount of the debts.

1. That he owes as *principal;*
2. That have been *proved* against his estate in bankruptcy; and
3. That he has contracted *since* the 31st day of December, 1868.

Or, if a majority in number and value of those who have proved their debts, to whom the bankrupt is indebted as principal, on debts contracted subsequent to Dec., 31, 1868, consent in writing to the discharge—such bankrupt may be discharged forever from all his debts.

If a debtor, owing three thousand dollars as principal, twenty-five hundred of which indebtedness was contracted prior to January 1. 1869, and five hundred subsequent to that time, files his petition in bankruptcy, and all his creditors prove against him, and there are no assets in the hands of the assignee, the petitioner will be entitled to a discharge; but it will be a bar only to the debts contracted prior to January 1, 1869.—If no creditors prove, the discharge will be good against *all* debts, whether contracted before or after January 1, 1869.

The practical effect in bankruptcy-cases generally is, that creditors fail to prove their debts, finding it ordinarily unprofitable. They have had, in a large majority of instances, heretofore the trouble and expense of making proofs, without receiving any return. The 50 per cent. bugbear, therefore when viewed in the light of the law and common-sense, disappears.

EXEMPTIONS IN BANKRUPTCY.

The exemptions under the 14th section of the Bankrupt Act are as follows:

1. Household and Kitchen furniture to an amount not exceeding $500,00
2. Wearing apparel of Bankrupt and family.
3. Uniform, &c., if he has been a soldier in the United States Army.
4. Personal property of the value of $500.00 to be selected by the Bankrupt.
5. A Homestead and the dwelling and buildings used therewith, not exceeding in value the sum of $1000,.00; or in lieu thereof, any lot in any city, town or village not exceeding in value the sum of $1000.000.
6. The reversionary interest in the Homestead lands.

In laying off the Exemptions in some Districts, the Assignees are ordered to accept, and abide by, any assignment of a homestead which has been made by a Sheriff under the State laws; or which has been assigned upon the application of a debtor in accordance with the laws of North Carolina. Where no such assignment of homestead has been made, the assignee will proceed to set apart such homestead, and make the other exemptions according to the rules of the bankrupt Court.

The report of such exemptions when made by the assignee can be excepted to by the bankrupt or by any creditor, within twenty days after the allotment of such exempt property.

EFFECT OF THE DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY UPON JUDGMENT.

It is the opinion of many of our best lawyers that the discharge in bankruptcy, discharges judgment debts existing against the bankrupt at the time of filing his petition, and that therefore the liens existing by virtue of such judgments, upon homesteads are wiped out, and cannot afterwards be enforced. In fine. that the practical effect of the discharge, is to leave a man, whose homestead was encumbered by judgments, free from all his debts, of every nature, and the owner in fee simple of such homestead.

Again many lawyers, equally prominent in the profession, are of opinion that such will not be the effect of the discharge. That the homestead, will still be liable under the judgments and that when it determines under our State laws, the judgment creditor may enforce his lien and collect his debts.

To place this matter beyound doubt, the following rule has been adopted for the benefit of petitioners who are not willing to run any risk.

That the petitioning debtor may file his petition in the District Court, addressed to Hon. Geo. W. Brooks, asking that the judgment creditor, or creditors, show cause why the liens existing in pursuance of their judgments should not be adjusted by said court, and their present value ascertain and fixed, and the amount when so ascertained, to be made the true value of such lien or liens by the decree or judgment of said District Court, in bankruptcy.

The right to adjust such liens, is exercised in pursuance of Sec. 1. of the Bankrupt Act.

FILING PETITIONS AND SCHEDULES.

Petitions and Schedules must be in duplicate. Petitioner should sign each sheet, except oath to schedules. It is not necessary to file sheets, of schedules that are not used. All papers in bankruptcy must be sworn to before a Register in Bankruptcy, U. S. Commissioner. or Clerk of the court.

The following deposit to secure costs is required at time of filing Petition. Register $50, Clerk $20, Messenger $5. Bankruptcy blanks can be had of M. B. Culpepper, Elizabeth City, prepared in sets for Two Dollars per set.

The original papers in all such cases should be sent to T. W. Costen, Register, Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of M. McMahon.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of M. McMahon of Halifax County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

H. J. HERVEY, Assignee,
Halifax P. O.

37—4t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of C. C. Furgerson.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of C. C. Furgerson, of Hertford County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

C. A. SPENCER, Assignee,
37—4t. Murfreesboro, N. C.

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Estate of L. W. Thrower.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of L. W. Thrower of Plymouth, N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

D. C. WINSTON, Assignee,
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of F. W. Bond.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been chosen Assignee of F. W. Bond of Chowan County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

D. C. WINSTON, Assignee,
37-4t. Windsor N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 25th, day of Feb. A. D. 1873, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. P. Howell of Bertie Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be heldat a Court of Bankruptcy to b holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on he 17th, day of April, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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36-3m.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. W. Squire.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. W. Squire of Northampton County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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State North Carolina, County Pasquotank, } In Superior Court.

Wm. G. Pool, Admd. of Sarah McDaniel, Plaintiff

Against

Joseph S. Cannon, Defendant.

It appearing to the Court that the Defendant Jos. S. Cannon, is not a resident of the State of North Carolina, and the summons having been issued to the Sheriff and returned not to be found and an order for service of summons by publication having been made the Defendant is hereby notified to appear before the said Court at the next term to be held for said County on the 10, Monday after the 1st Monday in March next then and there, to show cause why the relief in the premises shall not be granted.

W. E. Vaughan Clerk of said Court at office in Elizabeth City, the 10th, Monday after the 1st Monday in October, 1872.

WM. E. VAUGHAN,
-6t. Clerk Superior Court,

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Eliz. City, Jan. 18th, 1872-1y.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of E. J. Barco.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of E. J. Barco, of Camden County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

JAMES L. BALL, Assignee,
34-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 19, 1873.

☞TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜
Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line Steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.
We call attention to the following new advertisement in this issue.
Court Notice.

Local and Personal.

☞J. CLARK PERRY commenced operations at his Fishery yesterday.

☞Hon. C. L. COBB and Hon. C. C. POOL have both returned home.

☞A Connecticut friend will accept our thanks for late copies of New Haven papers.

☞On Monday our young friend JNO. P. OVERMAN opened a Male High School at this place. He occupies a building on Church Street

☞The Post Office at Hotel, Bertie county, has been changed to Lewiston, and WATSON LEWIS Esq., has been appointed Post Master.

☞A cotemporary is in a quandary. A subscriber asks him the best way to start a nursery. The answer is easy enough. Let him—get married.

☞Hereafter the Steamer "Harbinger" will leave this place for Columbia, Spruills Bridge &c., on Thursdays at 4 P. M., returning on Fridays.

☞Messrs. DASHIELL & PRICE have moved from their old quarters on "the corner" a few doors farther South. Go and see them at their new place.

☞The new Organ for the Methodist Church at this place has arrived. It is one of WATER'S $1000 instruments. Our best judges pronounce it to be of very fine tone.

☞A Mr. WILLIAMS, of Newland, had the misfortune to have his house destroyed by fire on Thursday last. He and his wife had come to town to do some trading and on returning found their home in ashes.

☞Under the School law the Commissioners of each county are made a Board of Education. The Commissioners of this county met on the 10th, and took the preparatory steps required by the new law to put the school machinery in motion.

☞The devil was to pay in the *Sentinel* office, last Saturday,—and he got his money.—*Bloomsburg (Pa.) Sentinel.*

The same thing occurs in the CAROLINIAN office *every* Saturday, but we invariably keep square by "giving the devil his due."

☞Those who subscribed stock to the Fair Grounds and have not paid the assessments made had better do so at once if they desire to hold and own stock in the same as the books will soon close and the Grounds, Track, etc., will be owned managed and controlled by those who have paid, each man's interest being in proportion to the amount paid.

☞Strangers always judge the enterprize and business prospects of a town by the character of its papers. If its advertisements are chiefly foreign the impression made is unfavorable; but if its columns are well filled with interesting reading, local items and live *home advertisements*, the verdict is at once, this must be a live place, just the home for enterprizing and educated men.

☞Maj. BUNNELL is so changing and improving the old CLARK building on Water Street as to make it look quite neat. He has raised it several feet in height, put on a new tin roof, added a very handsome cornice and on the top is erecting an observatory after the modern style. It is the right spirit. Every man who makes improvements should be encouraged.

☞As we ride out through the country we see increasing and encouraging evidences of progress, thrift and prosperity. The farmers and planters are placing more ground under cultivation —and better cultivation—than in any previous year. They all seem to be in better spirits and are working with bettee cheer. This proves that the country is not retrograding, but that it is slowly and surely advancing.

☞By the arrivals at the "Albemarle House"—see announcement in the propper place—it will be seen that we have had a number of Northern visitors since our last issue. They are gentlemen of character and experience. Several of them have traveled West and in other parts of the South, but they confess that this section impresses them much more favorably than any country they ever visited. And their impression is correct. This Albemarle region of North Carolina is unsurpassed anywhere.

☞The weather is pleasant and the farmers are now busy preparing for planting their crops. The Irish potatoes and peas are generally planted. The attention is now directed to getting ready for corn and cottou. Let no farmer confine himself exclusively to either one, but see to it that at least enough of corn is planted to secure at least enough for feeding his stock, Mixed farming is better than running to excess in any one thing.

☞While we are not a North Carolinian by birth we are one by choice, and we yield the palm to no man in the interest we feel for the welfare of the State of our adoption. All that is noble and great in the past or present of North Carolina we claim as a part of our common heritage as an American citizen, and we allow no man to excel us in cherishing the memory of whatever is illustrious in its history, or in devotion to its highest good to-day.

☞We learn that the Academy at Rose Dale is in a prosperous condition. Prof. BAGLEY, who has charge of the Institution, enjoys the reputation of being a first class teacher. We are always glad to hear from good schools and that they are succeeding.

☞A gentleman from Chowan writes us saying:

"I have been taking your paper for some time, and must say that I am highly pleased to see the great interest you take in the "Old North State." Your paper is doing great good; it carries with it good honest sense, occupying no time in abusing the opposite party; and in short I must confess it has almost made me a good Republican."

We deprecate the strife and bitterness engendered by continued partisan wrangling. Although a Republican—decided and uncompromising so far as its principles are involved—we try to be tolerant, and to respect the honest opinions of those who differ with us. We do feel a deep interest in this grand old State, and we have become attached to her people. That our paper is doing some good for both we believe. If life and health are spared us we intend it shall do much more.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

A question of privilege—asking to go home with a girl. The first news carrier—old Noah's dove. A maiden speech—"ask papa." A "frank" statement—"M C" on a Congressmen's letter. Not necessarily given in round figures—circular prices. The feature of our age—cheek. A votive offering which is not a sacrifice —voting yourself an increase of salary.

Business Locals.

Boarding by the meal, day, week or month at Robinson's on Water street

Everybody remembers the place—Fowler's on Water Street—where that "Pound Calico" can be had.

☞NOTICE.☜
We desire it to be distinctly understood that from this date all Job Work done at this office *must be paid for* on delivery.

Largely increasing—the North Carolina trade of Lowenburg & Jacobs at 22 & 24 Market Square, Norfolk, Va. No wonder. They give satisfaction to their customers. Chas. D. Rutter being with them, cordially invites his friends to call and see him.

JOB PRINTING.—
Do you want posters?
Do you want hand-bills?
Do you want business cards?
Do you want a neat bill head?
Do you want a tasty letter head?
Do you want a nice visiting card?
If so leave your orders at THE NORTH CAROLINIAN office, where they will be executed in the neatest style and the most reasonable terms.

California is stocking some of her forest with wild turkeys.

Major Hayne Davis, of Statesville, contemplates building a paper mill, at that place.

A Female lecturer saysr that the only decent thing about Adam was a rib, and that went to make something better.

A young fellow got off a smart thing last week. It was a mustard plaster that he sat down on just before retiring for the night.

Punch wishes to know what is the difference between fixed stars and shooting stars. The answer is that the one are suns, and the other darters.

Ralph Waldo Emerson is not a stickler for consistency. He says: "I say what I believe to-day if it contradicts all I said yesterday."

An editor's pistol having been stolen, be advertises that if the thief will return it he will give him the contents and no questions asked.

Three cars of the timber train, on the Wilmington Charlotte & Rutherford Railroard, broke through a trestle near Rosedale on Friday afternoon. Nobody hurt.

Upon being asked her father's profession, a Cincinnati belle said he "embalmed pork, she believed." The neighbors call him an old hog—packer.

President Grant has contributed a hundred dollars and Vice President Wilson fifty dollars toward the erction of the Greeley monument.

An Iowa paper proclaims itself an "honest newspaper," and in another paragraph says: "When a man professes honesty nowadays, keep your eye peeled for a thief:"

A St. Paul, Minn., baby is the subject of a writ of habeas corpus sued out by his mother in consequence of his being detained as collateral security for an unpaid board bill.

An Iowa speculator has stocked a large farm entirely with geese, with a view to ultimate feather beds, which he thinks will answer better than any other investment in that climate.

Mary Harris, the girl who killed the treasury clerk, Burroughs, a few years ago, for breach of promise of marriage, and whose trial and acquital created such a sensation throughout the country, has gone hopelessly insane.

Miss Sallie Lawrence, who resided near Tarboro, in Edgecombe county, committed suicide on Monday by laudanum and corbolic acid combined. Grief for the loss of her father and sister, who both died recently is supposed to have been the cause of the deed.

Accusing a man of forgery without being sure of it is rather an expensive luxury in Massachusetts. A Mr. Saunders, of Cambridge, charged one David Nicholls, of Lowell, of the little irregularity of signing another man's name to a note and has been forced to pay $10,000 for his hasty judgment.

There are experts on all manner of subjects in these days of litigation. A woman testified at Norwich, the other day in a turkey case and declared that she knew those turkeys "by their walk, their countenances and their manner of roosting." She was a shrewd observer of the ways of poultry.

Three Albany young ladies attempted to find from a female friend the secret of a valentine, by doctoring her with ether, under the impression that under its influence she would respond to any interrogatories that might be put. The more ether they administered the more uncommunicative she became, and it was a hard struggle for the doctors, when called in, to save the girl's life.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

D. G. Bush, Bellfonte, Pa; A. Whitcomb, Oseola, Pa; J. P. Card, Miss F. J. Card, Rochester, N. Y; H. Sherwood, Miss Eva Sherwood, Corning, N. Y; Miss Jessie Smith, Ithaca, N. Y; F. M. McDowels, Brooklyn, N. Y; T. L. Sanderson, Miss E. A. Perkins, C. W. Koolage, Leroy Taber, T. S. Neilegar, Norfolk, Va; H. Holland, T. L. Lomax, Baltimore, Md; J. Whitcomb, Horse Head N. Y; C. W. Eason, Edenton, N. C; Mrs. H. S. Ely, J. W. Albertson Jr., R. B. Albertson, W. K. Albertson, Hertford, N. C; W. H. Davis, Pasquotank, N. C; E. H. Davis, Louisiana; Eli Spruil, W. K. Spruil, Columbia, N. C; Julius Vickercamp, Portsmouth, Va; S. D. Bagley, Rose Dale, N. C; N. W. Cory & lady, Steamer Thomas Jefferson; Benjamin Hosler, Carlisle, Pa; Wm. M. Riddick, Perquimans, N. C.

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State of North Carolina, } In Superior Cour
Pasquotank County, }

Jno. L. Hinton, }
vs } SUMMONS
Wm. H. Sawyer, }

In this case it appearing to the Court that the defendant is not a resident of this State and the summons having been issued to the Sheriff and returned not to be found and an order for service of summons by publication having been made, the defendant is hereby notified, to appear before the Judge of the Superior Court, at the term of the Court to be held at the Court House in Elizabeth City, on the 10, Monday, after the 1st Monday, in March 1873, and answer the complaint which will be deposited in the Clerk's office. within the first three days of the said term; and the defendant will take notice, that if he fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for $500,00 with interest from May, 10th, 1867, until paid and for cost of suit.

The defendant is further notified, that a warrant of attachment in this case has been issued against him retnrnable to the same term of Court, for said sum of money, and interest as named above, the same being upon a note or bond given by said defendant payable to said plaintiff for the sum of $500.00 with interest from May 10, 1867.

Witness William E. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court, at office in Elizabeth City. the 10, Monday after the first Monday in October 1872.
WM. E. VAUGHAN,
34—6t. Clerk Superior Court.

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One Grand Cash Gift,		20,000
One Grand Cash Gift,		10,000
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50 Cash Gifts of	500 "	25,000
80 Cash Gifts of	400 "	32,000
100 Cash Gifts of	300 "	30,000
150 Cash Gifts of	200 "	30,000
590 Cash Gifts of	100 "	59,000
9,000 Cash Gifts of	10 "	90,000
Total, 10,000 Gifts, all Cash,		$90,000

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The entire management of this undertaking has been committed by the trustees to Hon. Thos. E. Bramlette, late Governor of Kentucky, to whom all communications pertaining to the Gift Concert should be addressed.

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W. N. HALDERMAN, Vice Pres't.
JOHN S. CAIN, Sec'y Public Library of Ky.
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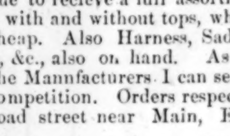
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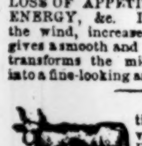
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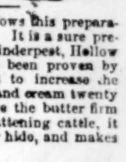
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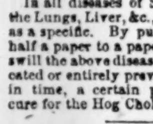
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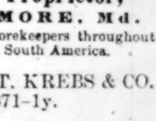
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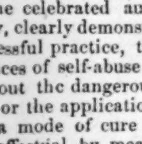
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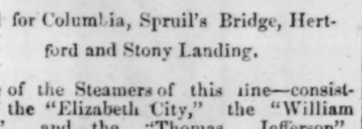
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In the case of ceilings. is supported or suspended at a suitable distance under the beams or laths, according to the thickness of plaster desired. The surface of the pendant ceiling may be ornamented or plain. The plaster is poured in from above upon the pendant ceiling. The plaster will adhere to the beams and laths, while the application of glyc rine prevents it from adhering to the false ceiling, which, when the plaster becomes dry, is removed. It is claimed that all the Mansard roofs which are now supported by timbers and light frame work can be made perfectly safe by the applllication of this plaster.

Col. Andrew Derrom of Paterson, N. J., is the inventor of the material, and his idea of French roofs is that they should be made of light frame work, and then filled solid with the plaster referred to. He claims that they would thus become solid and enduring: that wood-work—intended only to give shape to the concrete and lighten it—would be thoroughly protected from fire by the covering, and that their being no hollow spaces or for a air-chambers between the surface, it would be impossible for a fire to start from the inside, while the outside of the roof would be covered with slate. He proposes to make the interior work of buildings of the same material. Partitions can be cast in a mould at their proper places, and can be finished off in four or five hours, whereas it would require six weeks to do the plastering in the ordinary way. They are of course solid, and may be shaped at little cost into panels, cornices, and moldings. When finished they are perfectly hard, and will be unaffected by heat or cold. He claims that the best fire-proof material known is composed of the preparations of brick mortar and cement, and that his preparation, with the additional non-conductor plaster of Paris, will make an absolute fire-proof surface.

He also patented a plan for uniting with cement numbers of bricks into blocks, and for putting the buildings together into sectines. The blocks may be made the thickness of an ordinary wall, and set in their places as blocks of marble are arranged. It is stated that the greater part of the work can be done in Winter by boys, the ...hes of doors and windows being made ready for their positions, and the whole building being prepared before it is put together. Sections of sewers, column, piers, arches, and grained work can also be made, thereby facilitating the work and greatly reducing the cost.

The inventor states that he will be willing to erect a building according to his plan, allow fires to be kindled in every part of the house, and guarantee that it will not burn down, and be willing to suffer the full penalty of any failure that may result. His office in Paterson is finished off in this style, and is said to present a fine and substa tial appearance. He claims that it is fire-proof, and invites the public to examine into the matter,

Number of Eggs that a Hen can Lay.

We copy the following item, which has been, for a long time, going the rounds of the agricultural press, showing how little scientific attention has been ordinarily bestowed upon the subject of poultry-keeping:

It has been ascertained that the ovarium of a fowl is composed of 600 ovules or eggs; therefore a hen, during the whole of her life cannot possible lay more than 600 eggs, which in the natural course, are distributed over nine years, in the following proportion:

First year after birth		16 to 20
Second	do.	100 to 120
Third	do.	120 to 135
Fourth	do.	100 to 115
Fifth	do.	60 to 80
Sixth	do.	50 to 60
Seventh	do.	35 to 40
Eighth	do.	15 to 20
Ninth	do.	1 to 10

It follows that it would not be profitable to keep hens after their fourth year as their produce will not pay for their keeping, except when they are of a valuable and scarce breed.

To begin with, we may doubt the possibility of making any accurate count of the number of ovisacs in the ovaries, or of affirming that no new ones make their appearance out of minute germs or cells in the course of the life of the hen.

In the next place, such a limitation must have reference to the actual constitution of the fowl, and this either in its wild or tame condition. If to the former, the number of ovisacs, even if definitely ascertained, can have no connection whatever with the real habit of the hen, since she lays in a wild state only as many eggs as she can cover; if to the tame fowl, it is strange to find so definite a rule laid down for an animal that is, in the highest degree, of an artificial character, and whose nature is, in so many points, constantly being remade.—*The Poultry World.*

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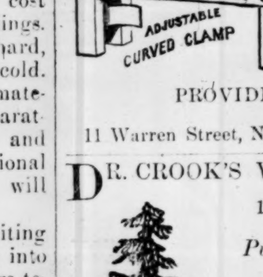
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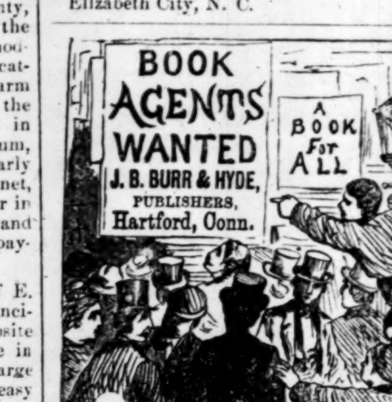
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